LSTA Works in Arizona Libraries



Developing makers and creators

Fostering learners, job seekers and entrepreneurs





Supporting communities to share ideas and stories

Reading and learning, indoors and out!



A Sampler of LSTA Funded Arizona Library Projects, 2017

According to the Arizona Public Library Survey, public libraries held more than 84,000 programs with over 1.6 million participants between June 30, 2016 and July 1, 2017. These events, classes and workshops ran the gamut from coding clubs for kids to arts and theater classes for older adults. Here are just some of the programs available to Arizona residents because of Library Services & Technology Act (LSTA) funding:

From the Cradle ...

- Play to Learn Gilbert
- Let's Get Ready for School! Mesa
- Ready, Set, Kindergarten! Chandler
- Touch N Learn iPads and STEM Apps Yuma

...To the Rocking Chair

- Ageless Wonders Creative Aging Program Mesa
- Senior Makers Scottsdale
- StoryShare Library Outreach Program for Seniors in Care Facilities Yavapai County
- Expand Your Horizons with Large Print Books Patagonia

Communities Engaged

- StoryWalks Casa Grande and Glendale
- · America in Times of Conflict Chandler
- Street Books Library Bikes Tempe

Making and Creating

- Makerspaces Peoria, Parker, Show Low and Sierra Vista
- Crafting Creative Communities Tuba City
- Express Yourself Workshops Glendale

Science, Technology, Engineering, Math (STEM) and Digital Literacy

- The MakerLab at Cline Library –Northern Arizona University
- STEM Communities of Learning Phoenix
- · Coding Club Safford
- Digital Literacy Training Prescott Valley, Clifton, Tuba City

Economic Development

- 101 Ideas for Career Success Pima County
- The Peak Experience Business Hub Prescott Valley

Providing Access

- You Too! Community Access and Engagement Through Assistive Technology Prescott
- LEADing (Libraries Enabling Assistive Discovery) Technology Project Yuma

Preserving Arizona

- One Hundred Years of Grand: The Grand Canyon National Park Centennial Project Arizona State University
- Arizona Memory Project Arizona State Library

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